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1. (Unclassified - DSB) Received a call from Patty Milligan, in the office of Representative Paul Findley (R., Ill.), who requested a personnel interview for [REDACTED]. After checking with Mr. [REDACTED] secretary, Office of Personnel, I advised Mrs. Milligan that an appointment had been set up for 10:30 a. m. Thursday, 10 June 1971.

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2. (Confidential - JMM) Talked to Representative Robert H. Steele (R., Conn.) and confirmed a dinner meeting Wednesday, 2 June, with [REDACTED] and John Parker, Bureau of Narcotics and Dangerous Drugs, to discuss Agency interest in the drug problem.

In response to his earlier question, I told Mr. Steele that we had no organizational association of any kind with the KMT elements in the triborder area in Southeast Asia.

3. (Unclassified - RW) Received a call from Miss Jean Gordon, Administrative Assistant to Representative Charles Gubser, who said that Mr. Gubser will put the response from Mr. Ingersoll, BNDD, re Agency involvement in Southeast Asian drug traffic, in the Congressional Record when Congress reconvenes Tuesday, 1 June.

4. (Internal Use Only - JGO) Received a call from Mr. Daniel Costello, Legislative Assistant to Representative James M. Hanley (D., N. Y.), who requested advice concerning a former [REDACTED] who has visited Representative Hanley's office in Syracuse. [REDACTED]

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 [REDACTED] where he was formerly employed, will not reemploy him overseas because he is now a citizen. After checking with [REDACTED] I told Mr. Costello that we would have an Agency personnel recruiter interview Mr. [REDACTED] in Syracuse and referenced the fact that Representative Hanley had made an inquiry on his behalf. Mr. Costello thanked me and told me he would let me know if their office heard any more from Mr. [REDACTED]

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5. (Internal Use Only - LLM) Met with Joanne Bailey, in the office of Representative Lawrence G. Williams (R., Pa.), on a constituent letter asking the Congressman to comment on the CIA involvement in heroin traffic from Laos to Vietnam and gave her a fact sheet for her use in drafting a suitable reply to refute the charges. Miss Bailey is new on the job and asked for guidance on how to handle inquiries in the future concerning CIA and I explained the "no comment" policy and that if it is helpful we would be glad to work up suggested replies.

6. (Unclassified - LLM) Met with Mrs. Peckham, in the office of Representative Charles Thone (R., Neb.), on a constituent letter implicating CIA with the current drug problem and gave her a fact sheet for her use in preparing a suitable reply without attribution to the Agency. She said she wasn't sure that the constituent deserved a reply.

7. (Internal Use Only - LLM) Left with Hendrick Gideon, Senate Subcommittee on Executive Reorganization staff, some material on the organization of the intelligence community that he had requested (see Journal of 25 May).

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8. (Internal Use Only - LLM) In followup of his call of 21 May, met with Al Tarabochia, Senate Internal Security Subcommittee staff, and he pointed out several passages of special interest in the book Venceremos Brigade, recently published by Simon & Schuster, and told me that in about a week he would make available to us a transcript on an individual being detained in the Virgin Islands who alleges detailed knowledge of training of revolutionaries in Mexico and Haiti. Mr. [REDACTED] WH Division, has been advised.

9. (Internal Use Only - LLM) Robert Hull, Department of State, advised that Howard Mace, Deputy Director General and Director of Personnel, will be appearing before the Hanley Subcommittee, 2 June 1971, and in his testimony will support full exemptions for CIA, NSA, Defense, FBI and State and, in addition, that the President be given the authority to designate "critical-sensitive" positions to which the bill would not apply.

With respect to the HEW proposed legislation to provide for a transfer of credit between Civil Service and Social Security, Hull said that State would most likely defer to the views of the Civil Service Commission.

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10. (Confidential - LLM) Delivered to J. Sourwine, Chief Counsel, Senate Internal Security Subcommittee, the [REDACTED] testimony which had been cleared by [REDACTED] SB Division. Sourwine said that we could have up to 100 copies of the printed hearings but that if we wanted a larger number we would have to ride the jacket. 25X1A

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11. (Secret - GLC) At his request met with Ed Braswell, Chief Counsel, Senate Armed Services Committee. He said Senator Stennis has become very interested and concerned about the drug situation in Southeast Asia and its impact on U.S. military personnel there. He said the Senator wants him to get fully briefed on the drug problem and is particularly interested in information which we have on the involvement of the Saigon government in drug traffic and what, if anything, the government there is doing to cope with the problem. Arrangements have been tentatively made for Mr. [REDACTED] and I to meet with Mr. Braswell on Tuesday, 1 June, at 2 p.m. to discuss this further.

Left with Braswell a list of consultants which he or the Committee might want to use in getting an assessment of the situation on military RDT&E. Braswell understands that this list is to be used without any attribution to the Agency.

Braswell talked at some length about the problems he anticipates the Chairman will run into when the military procurement authorization bill is taken up on the Senate floor. I told him we were preparing some material for Blandford and Slatinshek on this and would have a paper for him in the next day or two.

12. (Confidential - GLC) William Woodruff, Counsel, Senate Appropriations Committee, called and said arrangements were now firm for our budget session on 11 June. He said he expects the session to run from 10:00 a.m. to 12:30 p.m. and from 2:30 p.m. until the subject is covered in the afternoon. He is still not sure whether the Chairman will want a transcript, but said we should proceed on the assumption that he will.

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13. (Unclassified - GLC) Talked with Chris Aldrich, on the staff of Senator Birch Bayh (D., Ind.), about a constituent inquiry from [REDACTED] [REDACTED] having to do with a Flora Lewis column about the Agency and drug traffic in Southeast Asia. I discussed the matter with Aldrich and left with him a copy of the BNDD letter to Senator Spong (sterilized), our background paper on this subject, and copies of the Director's speech, and the Agency pamphlet. Aldrich said this would be useful in preparing a reply to this letter.

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14. (Unclassified - GLC) Left with Scott Cohen, in the office of Senator Charles Percy (R., Ill.), a suggested reply for the Senator's use in responding to a letter from [REDACTED] [REDACTED] on congressional oversight of CIA.

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15. (Confidential - GLC) Picked up from Dorothy Fosdick, on the staff of the Senate Subcommittee on National Security and International Operations, the "Bibliography of Soviet Produced Publications Containing References to the RIS, 1964-1970" prepared by [REDACTED] which we had left with her as an item for possible publication interest. Miss Fosdick thanked us for making it available to them but said it wasn't exactly the kind of thing they would publish. We plan to pass this document to the Senate Internal Security Subcommittee.

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